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## NEWS OF THE WATERFRONT

## Will Carry Mail For Uncle Sam.

The Hawaiian Navigation Co., Ltd., of Honolulu, A. A. Young, president, has been awarded the contract, and orders have been issued by Postmaster General Smith establishing a steamboat mail service between Honolulu and points in the Territory of

The mails, according to the terms in the contract, must be carried in safe and suitable steamboats, as often as steamers may run at irregular intervals. The agreement is binding from April 1, 1901, to March 31, 1902, and the service is to extend between Hono- eph Boles, a Portuguese washerwomlulu and any points on the Island of Kauai and return, and between Honolulu and any points on the Islands Molokai, Lanai, Maui and Hawaii, man, arrived from Hilo and way ports This service is to be known as Route on Saturday with the following pas-80.092

Another contract was awarded to the same firm whereby they are directed to carry the mails three times a month, and by a schedule of regular sailing dates satisfactory to the Postoffice Department of not to exceed ninety-one hours running time between Honolulu, Island of Oahu, by Lahaina, Kihei, Makena, Island of Maui; Ka- Hind, L. A. Bartlett, J. A. Lyle, Bishwaihae, Kailua, Keauhou, Napoopoo and Hookena, to Hoopuloa, on the outward trip, or ninety-six hours on the inward trip. This agreement is to operate from April 1, 1901, to March 31, 1902, and the contractor is to notify postmasters by telephone of arrival at landings. This service is to be known as Route 80,093:

#### Pilot Freeman's Return.

Pilot Freeman's anxiety to get back to the Golden Gate has resulted in an account of his home coming being transmitted to Washington by the San Francisco customs officials, who do not sympathize with his homesick feeling, and are intent on entangling his return trip with federal regulations. Freewas carried to sea on the steamship Sierra, as the weather was too rough to put him off after piloting her clear of the coast. The first vessel that sailed from Honolulu for San Francisco after he reached here was the Gaelic, of British register, and rather than violate the provisions prohibiting vessels of foreign register. Mosser, C. G. Marion, J. K. Josepa, F. Otis, and three children; Miss Estimates the control of the control o lot out of his difficulties act latter waited, furning at the act lot out of his difficulties. While the Congress which annexed the Hawaiian Islands to the Pacific Coast line of the United States the Hongkong Maru came into port bound for San Francisco, and the captain proved more tender-hearted than the master of the Gaelic, for he took Freeman aboard. In defense he told the customs officers on arriving at this port that he had a contract with the Japanese line by which he was virtually on duty from the time he left Honolulu, although his name did not appear on the ship's articles, and as a State officer his jurisdiction does not extend beyond the coast waters of California.

### Ex-Transport Tartar Damaged.

again. While she was under charter to Uncle Sam there were several protests from the soldiers who were carried to and from Manila in her. On one occasion there was almost a mutiny on board and the steamshwip was tied up for several days at Nagasaki.

When released by the government the Tartar went to Puget Sound, and has since been running between Tacoma and the Orient. She has had sevcoma and the Orient. She has had sev-children and nurse; Mrs. H. W. eral close calls, but during the last few Adams, Mrs. R. W. R. King, E. K. ers for many months to come.

The Tartar sailed from Tacoma on March 5 with a general cargo. She reached Nagasaki all right, but after leaving there for Hongkong she ran into an ice-floe and was badly crushed. The dispatches say her plates were bent and cracked, and her deck beams were started and twisted. Not a word is said about the crew and passengers, but if the accident was sufficient to crack the steel plates they must have had a lively time of it. The Tartar is a British vessel, and is commanded by Captain Pybus, the same master who

#### had her when she was a transport. Movements of Transports.

For the next two or three weeks the transport officials at San Francisco will have a busy time of it. Over 6,000 men are scheduled to arrive there from use, or whether the transport will pro- the water is used from the roof it is the Philippines, and about 3,000 will de-part from the transport wharf. The has not yet been decided. Then, again, transport was a rout on the ingide Aztec sailed on the 6th instant with 472 the troops may go to Quarantine Islhorses, the Ohio on the 13th instant and. with 750 soldiers, the Logan sails on the Foster, the schooner would be ing the water cool and pure. "Arabic" the 15th instant with 1,200, and the Warren on the 20th with 1,000 men.

Alameda's Huge Boliers. Among the vessels expected at San Francisco during the next two weeks are the Thomas, which left Nagasaki on the 24th, and Rosecrans, on the 25th, with the Twenty-eighth and the Thirty-fifth Infantry; the Grant, which left Nagasaki on March 30 with the Twenty-ninth and Thirty-second Infantry, Company F of the Twenty-sixth Infantry, and 126 sick soldiers, and the Sheridan, which has sailed task. The huge boilers may be dump-from Manila with the Forty-fifth and ed in the bay and floated to the Ala-Forty-sixth Infantry. All of these men will probably be in camp when President McKinley pays California his

### The Hawaiian at 'Frisco.

The American-Hawaiian Steamship ompany's Hawaiian arrived at San Francisco from New York on the 4th H. P. S. M., 1,500; Wainaku, 4,700; Onobut an enormous cargo. After discharging the Hawalian will come to Honolulu to load sugar for the East. Captain Banfield, who commands the Hawaiian on her maiden voyage, is known in the New York-San Francisco trade, having been master of the bark St. James and ship Edward O'Brien.

The Hawaiian left New York sixtyeight days ago, and had an uneventful voyage. She arrived at St. Lucia on February 3, and after coaling sailed again the next day. There were no incidents passing through the Straits of Magellan, and on March 8 Coronel 8,200 pounds coffee, \$\$20, and 230 hides, was reached. After a stop of two days the big freighter was headed for \$588. Total value, \$42,420.49.

#### San Francisco, arriving as above. Rio de Janeiro Explosion.

One of two pieces of flotsam from the wreck of the ill-fated steamer Rio de lows: Mrs. Berlowitz, Mrs. R. A. Jor-Janeiro that were picked up on the bay dan; Sydney Blackman, J. L. Lucksshore at the foot of McPherson street, more.



Alameda, on the 4th instant, is calthe boilers of the ship exploded just as she took the final plunge beneath Jehu, one of the victims of the wreck, that is firmly imbedded in the piece of wood that has kept it affoat these been driven into the timber by some explosive force.

The flotsam was found by Mrs. Jos-

#### The Kipau From Hilo.

The steamer Kinau, Captain Freesengers: W. H. Cornwell, T. C. Wall, F. J. Cross, H. H. Kohler, D. Madden, Rrofessor Henshaw, George J. Moore, Plate, C. Wentzel, A. T. Hambler, passed the Aorangi on the 11th. W. McCloud, J. S. Canario Jr., A. Walcott, E. E. Lyman, A. von Senop Willis, Rev. Kong Tin Yet, Alex. moto, H. Gravenmeyer, George Groves, Mrs. Wakee, Hon. S. Kawaihoa, Mrs. M. C. Wagner, T. E. Richardson, C. Scrimgeour, C. T. Bush, W. Kahaolenui, Gus Trisnies, Albert Todd, Mrs. C. Amow and four children, and ninety deck passengers The Kinau brought the following

cargo: 211 sheep, 10 cords of wood, 84 hides, 3 cows, 66 hogs, 70 sacks of taro, 20 sacks of corn and 220 packages of

#### The Claudine From Kahului.

Early yesterday morning Wilder's steamer Claudine, Captain Parker, ar-rived from Kahului and way ports T. Franklin, child and sister; Mrs. J. A. Tuthill, George S. Garnett, Mrs. Bernhardt of the Tenth Infantry; Mrs. H. A. Wharton, Miss Durant, Miss E. Long, wife of Sergeant Long of Com-Scobey, Mrs. W. F. Mossman, K. S. pany A of the Tenth Infantry; Mrs. Gjerdrum, F. S. Dunn, Miss Edwards, Jackson, wife of Captain T. T. Jackfrom doing a "coastwise" business, the W. B. Batterson, W. H. Shirley, C. E. captain refused to help the anxious pi- Haynes, George H. Bauer, Mr. Kobayashi and wife, Mrs. J. A. Sylva, Mrs. of E. Jackson, J. T. Aluli, wife and son; Brother Bertram, Rev. S. Kapu, Wong aboard. The transport now lies out-Chong, Rev. T. Gomi, Miss Kaiwiaea, side of the harbor in quarantine, and Miss L. Pupuhi, and forty-nine deck will not be permitted to enter. The passengers.

Cargo, 2,450 sacks of sugar, 165 sacks of corn, 20 sacks of taro, 92 hogs, 8 horses and 78 packages of sundries.

### W. G. Hall From Kauai.

Yesterday morning the steamer W. G. Hall arrived from Nawiliwili, bringing 6,150 bags of sugar for H. Hackfeld & Co., 4 horses, 8 mules, 66 packages of sundries, and the following W. H. Rice Sr., Misses passengers: Wilcox, Cameron, Sorenson, Tanner, Kellner, H. Poo; Messrs. Wishard, The ex-transport Tartar is in trouble Black, Kahlbaum, Longton, Buck, Wa-Chong, Wa Sung, Sumamoto, Mrs. J. H. Cummings, Mrs. R. Fountain, Captain Maxwell, Mrs. Deinert, Ahana and wife, W. G. Irwin, J. Santos, Mr. Pur-vis and wife, and thirty-nine deck.

The steamer Mikahala, arriving in the morning from Makaweli, brought 5,000 bags of sugar for Alexander & in the world. The island embraces Baldwin, and the following passen-Baldwin, and the following passengers: Francis Gay, H. P. Faye, wife, weeks has met with an accident that weeks has met with an accident that Bull, Guy Owens, J. L. Buchanan, A. will keep her out of Pacific Coast wa- Johnson, C. A. Johnson, S. Watson, Mrs. Johnston, Miss Lindsay and sev-

enteen deck. Waialeale, from Waimea, brought 3,000 bags of sugar and four

#### deck passengers. Schooner Foster May be Uhartered.

There is a possibility of the American schooner Mary E. Foster, now in this port from the Coast, being char-

The Foster is a four-masted schooner of 839 tons, and can accommodate all the soldiers belonging to the transport using her decks and 'tween decks, Major Robinson says that he can secure her at the rate of \$250 per day. Whether the Foster will be put to this

### Alameda's Huge Boilers.

Two ninety-ton boilers and one of eighty tons are to be placed in the steamer Alameda next week. They have just been completed at the Risdon Iron Works, and the work of transporting them from the plant to the Alameda, lying off the Potrero, San Francisco, will be an interesting meda, a method that is in vogue in other ports, or may be transported on

### Sugar on Rawaii.

When the Kinau sailed from Hilo the following sugar awaited shipment on the Big Island: Waiakea, 7,000; mea, 16,000; Pepeekeo, 8,500; Honomu 8.000; Hakalau, 12.000; Papaatoa, 17,000; Ookala, 5,500; Kukaiau, 10,000; Hama-kua, 2,000; Paauhau, 13,000; Honokaa 19,000; Kukufhaele, 6,000; Punaluu, 11,-000; Honoapu, 5,295. Total, 146,495.

### Mahukona Shipping.

Arrived-April 12, schr. O. M. Kellogg, Sverson, fourteen days from San Francisco; general merchandise for Hawaii Railway Co., Ltd.

Departed-April 9th, brig Galilee, Densmore, for San Francisco; cargo, 1.152,144 pounds sugar, value \$41,012,49;

### Left for the Colonies.

Those who salled for the Colonies on the Miowera on Saturday were as fol-

## Seven Vessels In From the Coast.

URING Saturday and Sunday seven vessels arrived at this port from the Coast. Of this number four came in on Saturday, the others arriving yesterday.

Three of Saturday's arrivals were culated to bear out the theory that steamships, two passenger boats and a United States transport.

the waves. It is a calling-card plate The Mariposa, the Miowera and the bearing the name of Miss Rowena Kilpatrick lay off the harbor when The Mariposa, the Miowera and the daylight came. The Mariposa came from San Francisco with passengers many days, showing that it must have and freight for this port. She sailed from 'Frisco on the 6th instant, about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, making the run in 6 days, 14 hours and 15 minutes. She returns to the Coast on Wednesday.

> The Miowera came from Vancouver and Victoria. She had many passengers, most of whom were for Australia. She sailed from Vancouver on the 5th instant at 10:40 a. m., and Victoria at 9:35 p. m. on the same day. She Promptly at noon on the 5th instant

the Kilpatrick sailed from the wharf at den, W. Thompson, Rev. Ueda, wife and two children: Y. Hamada, Miss Okamoto, Miss M. Meine, Miss G. Meine, George Dunn, G. B. Rice, H. L. men, constituting the field staff, head-Hilstein, Adam Lindsay, George U. quarters and band of the Eleventh Infantry; 1 officer and 97 men, comprising Troop G of the Fifteenth Cavalry: 5 officers and 271 men of the First Infantry, 2 officers and 150 men of the Tenth Infantry, 4 army surgeons, 7 men of the Hospital Corps, 1 army captain, 2 male civilians, 20 female civilians, 14 children, and 570 tons of freight. Among the passengers are: Mrs. Zauner, wife of Surgeon R. H. Zauner, and three children; Mrs. Potter, wife of Chaplain J. A. Potter; Mrs. Whitney, wife of Major Whitney of the medical corps; Mrs. Emden, wife of Victor Emden, clerk; Mrs. Peed, wife of Captain H. A. Peed; Mrs. Jones, wife of Lieutenant C. M. Jones with the following passengers and Melwick, wife of Captain E. A. Melfreight. Passengers: H. P. Baldwin, Bernhardt, wife of Chaplain Charles telle Hine and Miss Edith Richmond, contract nurses.

During the voyage from the Coast smallpox broke out among the soldiers smallpox patients have been removed to the quarantine station, and the vessel will be fumigated before proceeding to Manila.

The American barkentine Klikitat also arrived on Saturday. She is from the Sound with lumber. Captain Cutter is her commander.

The three vessels which arrived yesterday were the American ship S. D. Carleton, Captain Amesbury, eighteen days from Tacoma with coal; the American schooner Jessie Minor, Captain Whitney, seventeen days from Eureka and the American bark Diamond Head, sixteen days from San Francisco.

### May Compete With America.

An English shipbuilding company is reported to have purchased Petty's Island, one-half mile from Cramp's shipyard, with the object of establishing one of the largest shipbuilding plants garded as an ideal spot for a ship-building plant. Charles B. Stricker, of New York, who is said to represent Vickers, Son & Maxim, was the pur-

Turkish Transport Wrecked.

The Turkish transport Aslan has been wrecked near Yembo. Twenty soldiers were drowned.

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